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REQUEST **FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL**

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application

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See The American Inventors Protection A	Act of 1999 (AIPA).

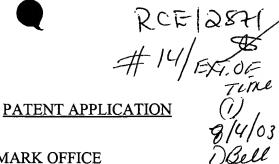
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Application Number	09/825,991		
Filing Date	April 5, 2001		
First Named Inventor	Shinjiro Okada		
Group Art Unit	2871		
Examiner Name	Hoan C. Nguyen		
Attorney Docket Number	00684.003175		

inis	NOTE: 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d) (PTO/SB/29) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. See Changes to Application Examination and Provisional Application Practice, Final Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 50092 (Aug. 16, 2000); Interim Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 14865 (Mar. 20, 2000), 1233 Off. Gaz. Pat. Office 47 (Apr. 11, 2000), which established RCE practice.
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		ii.		Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on			
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SHINJIRO OKADA ET AL.	;) ;)	Examiner: Hoan C. Nguyen Group Art Unit: 2871		
Application No.: 09/825,991				
Filed: April 5, 2001	;)			
For: CONDUCTIVE LIQUID CRYSTAL DEVICE AND ORGANIC)	,		

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July 22, 2003

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for further action in the above-identified case for one month from June 25, 2003, to July 25, 2003.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$110.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

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Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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